

4-30-1897

The Paducah Daily Sun, April 30, 1897

The Paducah Daily Sun

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.murraystate.edu/pds>

Recommended Citation

The Paducah Daily Sun, "The Paducah Daily Sun, April 30, 1897" (1897). *The Paducah Daily Sun*. 133.
<https://digitalcommons.murraystate.edu/pds/133>

This Newspaper is brought to you for free and open access by the Newspapers at Murray State's Digital Commons. It has been accepted for inclusion in The Paducah Daily Sun by an authorized administrator of Murray State's Digital Commons. For more information, please contact msu.digitalcommons@murraystate.edu.

The Sun is the only paper in the city that verifies its claim for circulation by Affidavit.

THE PADUCAH DAILY SUN.

Official organ of City by reason of having the largest circulation.

VOLUME 1—NUMBER 101

PADUCAH, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1897.

TEN CENTS A WEEK

UNEXPECTED DANGER.

Confronts the People of the Cotton Districts.

WILL PREVENT A CROP.

New Orleans Fears the Worst With a Flood Rising.

SUPERHUMAN EFFORTS TO SAVE LEEVES.

Helena, Ark., April 29.—A new danger threatens the bottom country below Helena, and it is of a most serious nature. On Tuesday Messrs. Catchings and Henry wired Maj. Perdue to get up estimates at once of the cost of closing breaks in the levee in this district in order that the levee commission of the Mississippi River Commission, which meets in St. Louis, might be properly advised. He went to the Williamson crevasse and made soundings, discovering that the water was running through the break thirty feet deep, and that the current had cut a channel through from the river bank outside the levee to Long Lake inside. This makes a great channel thirty feet deep by six or seven hundred feet long. Major Perdue at once reported to Messrs. Fillow, Brene and Quarles, directors of the Cotton Belt levee district, and the information depressed them as nothing else connected with the flood has. It means that no crop can be made in the bottom unless this gap is closed very soon and the closing of it means the expenditure of a large sum of money at a time when they are confronted with an empty treasury.

SHAKY AT MANY POINTS.

But the Levees Are Being Held By Armies of Men.

New Orleans, April 30.—Nineteen and four-tenths feet and rising. The water has been to that figure before, about a week ago, but then a strong wind backed up the river and the gauge was arrested. This time the figure is genuine, and means that the climb toward twenty feet has begun in earnest. The water can over into several city streets, but that was simply a little wave-which a few days of work can stop.

It is the levee outside of the city which are in danger. The people know it now, and mass-meetings are calling upon employers to stop trying to make crops and put all hands on the levees, while the levee boards are asked for material with which to build the barriers higher. The levees were all right for a foot above the present stage, but the foot is now backed upon as certain with perhaps a few inches besides. After the long strain already stood, the banks could hardly resist the new onslaught, hence the necessity for prompt and ceaseless labor. The only salvation in the situation is the belief that the first rise will be slow, and in a week the line can be raised two or three feet. Capt. Derby, the government engineer in the district, not content with simply sounding the warning, has announced that he will raise eighty-four miles of levee at once, and this example has given so much confidence that the embankments everywhere will find defenders.

There are more danger spots than ever. This is but natural. The McCull levee at Donaldsonville, Pike's Point, farther down, Bonnet Carré on this side, Pecan Grove, just below the city, and other giant levees are considered shaky, but armies are holding them and may win the battle. Down in the Illinois district, among the orange groves, there are two breaks close together. They look easy to close, but have not been closed yet. The levee line there is very low, and is keeping the river out by sheer good luck. The storm near the Gulf, however, will wipe out all of the luck, and the river will widen there above the banks until it reaches the bays, which bound the sections in one wide sheet of water. The inhabited portions there are all most on the river, and these will be the only places to suffer.

AT LOUISVILLE AUGUST 10.

The Republican State Convention Will Be Held.

Frankfort, April 30.—The State Central committee met yesterday afternoon and decided to hold the next Republican state convention at Louisville August 10. For a moment a candidate for clerk of the convention was named. The basis of representation was changed from one hundred votes cast to one delegate to each 200 votes and major fraction thereof. As the vote cast for the Republican ticket in 1896 was 218,000, the total

number of delegates, if all counties elect, will be 1,009.

Secretary W. P. Riley was superseded by Committee Chairman K. J. Hampton, of the Tenth district. Mr. Riley, who was not a member of the committee, is said to have been removed because of "partisan activity" against Dr. Hunter at Frankfort.

Mr. J. G. Bailey, Representative from Magoffin county, who has been mentioned in connection with the office has formally announced his candidacy. It is said Mr. Bailey will command the hearty support of a large proportion, if not all the Republican members of the general assembly and will thus have an immense advantage over any possible opponent.

CROWDS POURING IN.

The Centennial at Nashville is Proving a Drawing Card.

Nashville, April 30.—The management of the centennial are more than pleased with the prospects ahead for the great show, as judged by the immense throngs that are pouring into the city. Every train that arrives is loaded down. The town is already congested with the thousands who have arrived.

A NEW MINISTRY.

The King Compelled to Yield to the Opposition.

TURKS REINFORCED IN EPIRUS.

Sound Money Democrats Talk Back to Blakburn.

A WHOLE FAMILY OF SIX CREMATED.

Athens, April 29.—The King of Greece has given in to the opposition. A new cabinet has been formed. It is composed as follows:

Premier and Minister of Marine—M. Rallis.

Minister of War—M. Tsamiras.

Minister of Finance—M. Simopoulos.

Minister of Education—M. Carapanos.

Minister of the Interior—M. Teotaki.

During the negotiations for the reconstruction of the ministry from the opposition, M. Rallis opposed the proposal to make M. Deligeorgis Premier, and said: "Setting aside all false modesty, I must be recognized. I am the Premier designated by events."

The opposition leaders acquiesced in this, but M. Deligeorgis refused to join the ministry unless the Premier was chosen outside the regularly constituted parties in the Boule. To his M. Rallis replied that he could not and would not attempt to form a ministry without the support of the other Opposition sections in the Assembly, and he tried to induce M. Deligeorgis to join.

The public tension is much relieved by the change of ministers, and it is believed that all serious danger of internal disorders is removed.

Greece Ready to Name Terms.

London, April 29.—Henry Norman, the "Daily Chronicle" correspondent at Athens, says: "I have the very best reason to believe that Greece is now disposed to recall her forces from Epirus, and even to evacuate the island of Crete. Two hundred thousand women and children are homeless and destitute in Thessaly, and the government is unable to relieve their needs."

The Rome correspondent of the "Daily Chronicle" says it is asserted that the Italian Foreign Office that Greece has privately addressed France, England and Russia for the purpose of invoking their mediation between her and Turkey.

SOUND MONEY MEN.

They Hold a Meeting at Frankfort and Issue a Manifesto.

Frankfort, April 30.—Senator Blackburn's attack on the sound money Democrats here, fruit in a meeting held last night by the sound money men here, who issued a manifesto which handles the Senator without gloves. He gets equally as good as he sent.

FAMILY OF SIX.

And a Neighbor's Child Cremated in a Burning House.

Pikeville, April 30.—An entire family of the name of Sweet, and also a small child of a neighbor who was spending the night with them, were cremated through the burning of their home Tuesday night. The family resided on Knox Creek some miles from town and the discovery was not made until yesterday and the news was brought here this morning.

HAIR-BREADTH ESCAPES.

Illinois Central Fast Passenger Wrecked This Morning.

TURNED OVER NEAR BOAZ.

Fifty Passengers Aboard and Only Two Hurt—Sleeper Turns Completely Over.

WASHOUT AND SPREADING RAIL THE CAUSE.

The startling news that the New Orleans and Cincinnati limited, No. 304, the "diamond-laid" due here en route to Louisville shortly after 9 o'clock, a. m., had been wrecked two miles from Boaz, Tenn., reached the city at 3.45 this morning.

There was a flutter of excitement at the Union Depot, where there was quite a crowd of passengers awaiting its arrival. The particulars could not be obtained, for there is no telegraph station nearer than Boaz, and the train does not stop there. She reached Mayfield on time, and that was the last heard of her until the brief report was received by Inspector Bennett at the Broadway office. The very sameness of details and result added to the excitement, and, as usual, it was not long until many harrowing but unfounded rumors were rife in the city.

The railroad officials and hospital surgeons were notified and about 3 o'clock a wrecking train, manned by Conductor Will Baker and Engineer Mercer, and an extra with a coach in charge of Conductor Conway and Engineer Joe Dickey, left Broadway for the scene. On the extra were Traumatizer J. J. Flynn, Chief Surgeon Dr. Murrell and assistants, Dr. J. Q. Taylor and Dr. Marmaduke Dillon. Up to 6 o'clock no other information was received at headquarters here.

The hospital ambulance was backed up to the track at the Broadway depot, and preparations were made to take care of the dead and wounded when they arrived. But there was great relief when the extra steamed past the dispatcher's office at 6 o'clock and did not stop. She had two coaches, one with the injured and baggage, and the other with forty or fifty sleepy passengers, including the surgeons and officials. Those at the depot knew that had any one been hurt they would have been put off at Broadway. The extra, in charge of Conductor Hanabro, passed out for Louisville ten minutes later, four hours and forty-five minutes late.

THE WRECK. It was the luckiest escape that ever happened. It is what Traumatizer "Jack" Flynn said when he entered the dispatcher's office a few minutes later.

The entire train, in charge of Conductor Hanabro, Engineer John McGuire and Fireman Crutchedell, was divided and turned partly over on the side of a cut, a cut over two miles and a half north of Boaz Station, this way. The location of the wreck is in a cut, twelve miles below Paducah, where there is a culvert twenty feet long. On one side of this cut is a ditch fifteen or twenty feet below the level of the rails. The train jumped the track and in the twinkling of an eye the entire train was forging down this declivity.

HOW THE PASSENGERS FARED. Out of fifty passengers there were only two hurt, and these only slightly. Most of them, including ten who were in the sleeper, were asleep. Few of them, perhaps, ever received such a jolting and shaking as they got then. As the train rolled and tumbled, and they fell pell-mell over the seats and each other, their feelings and fright can better be imagined than described.

A FLECKY CONDUCTOR.

Conductor Hanabro, who escaped even the slightest injury, ran back as fast as he could after he had regained his equilibrium to Boaz, two miles or more, and awoke the operator. He could give no particulars, for he had not had time to obtain them. But he sent in the report, which was sufficient. He then returned and found to his surprise and pleasure that no one was hurt except Mr. Simon Kuhne, of Vicksburg, Miss., whose nose was skinned, and Capt. Robert E. Lee, of Memphis, whose toe was mangled and ankle sprained. In less than an hour the wrecking train and extra arrived on the scene.

HOW IT HAPPENED.

Conductor Hanabro states that they were running but twenty-five miles an hour. The culvert where the derailment occurred is twenty feet long, and under and against it runs a stream that had swollen to

enormous proportions during the night by reason of the heavy rains of yesterday. The theory is that the culvert was thrown out of line by the force of the water, and when the train struck the rails on the other side they spread. The whole train succeeded in passing over the culvert, but even the locomotive was turned over.

HOW IT LOOKED.

A description of the wreck is impossible. The coaches were strewn along in the ditch in an irregular line, with the big locomotive lying obliquely at one end, smoking and steaming and groaning, and a sleeper near the other end, turned completely over, with their oil-begrimed wheels toward the high heavens.

SOME LITTLE INCIDENTS.

It is said that there was but one lady aboard, and one of the gentlemen found her grip and started out to find her and restore her property. He was surprised to find her as cool and collected as if nothing had happened, standing before the mirror complacently powdering her face from a small box she carried with her.

In the chair car a man and his wife and two children were conversing just a short time before the accident, when the man got up to get a cup of water. The next instant they all found themselves in a heap on the floor between the seats but unhurt.

Express Messenger C. O. Brown was asleep when the shock came. The car was filled with baggage and express, with a large number of baskets of fruit, and he grabbed for the wall to keep from getting in the "push." At the same instant a big trunk struck him amidships and he was knocked winding into a corner, with trunks and express in unpleasant proximity. Fortunately, however, he was not injured.

A LUCKY ENGINEER.

All the railroad men marvel at the phenomenal luck of Engineer "Johnny" McGuire, who has, perhaps, had more narrow escapes than any other man on the big system. He has had his back and nearly every arm and leg broken at different times, and has escaped many times without a bruise, but no escape was more remarkable than his escape this morning.

TRAIN DELAYED.

No. 303, which arrived here at 3 o'clock this morning, en route from Louisville to Memphis, was delayed here until noon today, when it left only a few minutes before the 12:10 train, which followed, going in the same direction.

The train due to arrive at 7:50 a. m. from Fulton was delayed until about 9 o'clock this afternoon. At noon the track, which was badly torn up, was reported as having been repaired and rendered passable.

EMPLOYEES 2,000 MEN.

Will Start Monday. After an Idleness of Three Years.

Baltimore, April 30.—The plant of the Maryland Steel Company, located at Sparrow's Point, will resume operations in full next Monday after an idleness of three years. Orders to that effect have been issued by President Wood, and the superintendent of mills cautioned to start up at noon on that day. The work will furnish employment to over 2,000 men. The company has a large amount of work on hand, and it may be necessary to keep the plant going day and night during the spring and early summer.

TO TEST THE STATE LAW.

Three-Cent Fare Statute in Indianapolis to Be Ruled Upon.

Indianapolis, April 30.—John Navin was fined under an old ordinance in the city police court today for refusing several days ago to pay more than three cents street car fare. Navin appealed to the circuit court, which held the judgment of the lower court good. The next step was to prepare a transcript and carry the case before the state supreme court, which was done at 5 o'clock this afternoon. A speedy decision is looked for.

THIRTY BODIES FOUND.

The Subsidence of the Waters Reveals Them.

Guthrie, Oklahoma, April 30.—The subsidence of the waters has led to the recovery of thirty bodies of the victims of the flood. Active efforts are now being put forth to recover bodies and relieve the distress of the unfortunate, many of who lost their all.

TURKS REINFORCING.

Thousands of Soldiers Being Poured Into Epirus.

New York, April 30.—Greek advisers say the Turkish commanders in Epirus are being reinforced by thousands of fresh troops and that it appears to be the intention to wipe out the Greek army in that country.

PADUCAH'S WELFARE.

Mr. Harlebeck Will Meet the Citizens Tonight.

IN THE PALMER DINING HALL.

Will Lay His Plans Before the Citizens of This Place.

MEETING OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE.

There will be an important meeting in the dining hall of the Palmer House tonight. Mr. J. H. Harlebeck, the gentleman who has been here three months in the interest of a project which, should the people of Paducah concur in it, will result in incalculable benefit to the city, will meet all citizens interested in the welfare of the city for the purpose of laying his plans before them and ascertaining their attitude toward the enterprise.

Mr. Harlebeck desires all to attend, and on account of the large crowd that is anticipated, has secured the dining hall for holding the meeting. His efforts, as stated several days ago in the Sun, are for the establishment of three big manufacturing plants in the West End, a woolen mill, cordage factory and carriage works, and options have been secured on all the land desired.

The meeting will be held at 8 o'clock. If you are interested in Paducah's progress don't fail to attend.

CALLED MEETING.

The Council Will Meet Tonight.

The Finance Committee Will Recommend a 41.65 Levy.

The council will meet tonight in called session to give first passage to the tax levy ordinance. The finance committee will recommend a levy of \$1.65, but it is not known whether the council will concur with it.

THE HAWAIIANS.

Think the United States Wants to Force Annexation.

San Francisco, April 30.—The steamer Doric, which called at Honolulu April 8, brings advice that Hawaiians are making much over the presence of the Philadelphia. Hawaiians believe the President is about to appoint a minister who will come to Honolulu and consummate annexation. It is generally believed the cruiser Philadelphia was sent at the request of Acting Minister Mills to protect United States citizens and property in case of trouble with the Japanese government over the refusal of President Dole to permit Japanese emigrants to land there.

MARKETS.

(Reported Daily by The Paducah Company.) Chicago, Ill., April 30.—Wheat opened at 70 1/2, highest 72 1/2, closed at 72. May corn opened at 23 1/2, highest 24 1/2, closed at 24 1/2. May oats opened at 16 1/2 and closed at 16 1/2. May pork opened at \$8.00 to \$8.55, closed at \$8.58. May lard opened at \$4.10 and closed at \$4.12. May ribs opened at \$4.65 and closed at \$4.67. Northwestern receipts 378 cars. Clearances today 281,000 bushels. \$4,000,000 gold to be exported from New York tomorrow.

Filed an Answer.

The First National Bank in the circuit court yesterday filed an answer to the petition of the executors of the Wisdom estate, which is to recover \$3,140 paid on a note for \$5,000, claimed to have been forged. The bank alleges in its answer that the money was paid over to Mr. Wisdom, and that the paper is not forged.

The finest and the

CHEAPEST

line of Jointed Fishing Cane and Tackle is offered at

Nelson Soule's Drug Store

Here you will find nothing but the very

BEST

and those interested will be astonished at the prices. Suppose you drop in and see.

"EXCEL IN ALL GOOD POINTS."

COMFORT ELEGANCE STYLE FINISH



OUR BABY CARRIAGE STOCK IS

Unsurpassed in Quantity. Unsurpassable in Quality.

GEO. O. HART & SON HARDWARE & STOVE CO.

303-307 Broadway. 109-117 N. Third Street.

INCORPORATED.



The Shoes You Want Are Here....

Depend upon it; depend upon finding the very shoes you feel you ought to have.

We have all sorts, the lowest priced and

the highest grades. You can do well here as you could with \$5 in most stores.

Its a good store and a good stock for economically inclined folks to tack to.

GEO. ROCK & SON, 321 BROADWAY.

LICENSE INSPECTOR'S NOTICE.

All licenses issued by the City of Paducah will expire on the 1st day of April, 1898. Licensees are notified that they must renew their licenses within 10 days after the expiration of the same, or they will be subject to a fine of not more than \$5 and not more than 10 days imprisonment. Special attention is called to the law, however. The law is enforced and will be strictly enforced. J. A. JAMES, City License Inspector.

THE CELLAR DOOR.

Little Harry Bamberger Gets a Hard Fall.

Harry, the little son of Mrs. Bamberger, who lives on South Sixth street near Hubbard, fell down the cellar steps at home this forenoon and was severely injured. A large gash was cut in his head which Dr. Horace Rivers dressed.

Special train to Cairo to see the big ball game, leaves union depot next Sunday, May 21, 8:15 a. m. Only \$1.00 for the round trip.

Dr. Edwards, specialty. Kyes, Kar, Nose and Throat, Paducah, Ky. ly

Hickory Stove Wood. For nice stove wood telephone 29. \$1 per load.

Ohio River Spoke and Rim Co.

Wanted to Buy: One good steel range. Lawrence, 213 Court.

State Convention Epworth League.

For the above occasion the Illinois Central will on May 6th and 7th sell round trip excursion tickets to Louisville at one fare for the round trip, and good returning until and including May 10th.

Bargains...

That Will Open Your Eyes!

For Ladies, in small sizes, regular price \$2.50 and \$3.50, go for 98c.

We have the best \$1.50 and \$2 black

and coffee kid oxford

ever shown in any city. Call and see them



Cochran & Cochran, 331 Broadway.

We have now received a complete stock of Coal and Wood

COOKING

STOVES - AND - RANGES

Including the Celebrated

CHARTER OAK

Hank Bros. &

Call and examine our line of Graniteware and Delftware.

GUARANTEED RUBBER HOSE Screen Doors and Windows

WATER COOLERS HAMMOCKS GARDEN IMPLEMENTS

HANK BROS. & JONES

218 Broadway.

Phone 195



Try the Winner for perfection.

DR. W. C. EUBANKS,
HOMEOPATHIST,
Office 100 South 2nd St., Telephone 111.
Residence 100 South 2nd St., Telephone 111.

A. L. HARPER,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
120 N. Fourth, Room No. 2.
Will represent in all the courts of the state
collection of debts promptly attended to.

L. WILLER,
HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTER,
GREENSBORO, KENTUCKY,
CLARKSON AND CLARKSON BUILDING,
Telephone 177, PADUCAH, KY.

HARRIS & CRICE,
Attorneys-at-Law,
125 N. Fourth—1st floor
Photographer in Office

J. O. RUSS,
Baggage and Moving Wagon
Office at Willetts Livery Stable.
Telephone 353.

Matil-Effinger & Co
Undertakers and embalmers.
North Telephone 127
Residence Telephone 136
130 S Third

B. M. McCUNE,
Phin and Ornamental Sign Painter
With PADUCAH CYCLE WORKS,
126 and 128 N. 5th St.

C. A. ISBELL, M.D.
Office 502 1/2 S. Seventh St.
Residence 723 S. Sixth.
Office Hours 7:30 to 9 a.m., 1:30 to 3
p.m., 8 to 9 p.m.

Brinton B. Davis,
ARCHITECT.
Office Am. German Nat. Bank.

Wm. Thompson,
Shoemaker.
126 N. 5th St. Phone 136.
Men's nailed half shoes 50 to 75c.
Women's nailed half shoes 50c.
Women's turned shoes 75c.
Children's half shoes 50c to 60c. Ladies
half shoes 75c to 1.00.

When in Metropolis
Stop at the
State Hotel
Cor. 4th and Ferry Sts. \$1.00

ST. JAMES HOTEL
—ST. LOUIS—
Rates, \$2.00 Per Day.
Room and Breakfast, \$1.00
European Plan, \$1.00 Per Day.
Good Rooms. (Good Meals).
Good Service. (Good Management).
When you visit St. Louis stop at
ST. JAMES HOTEL
HARRIS & CRICE BUILDING
Street cars direct to hotel.

HARRY F. WILLIAMSON, M.D.
Physician and
Surgeon
Office Hours:
7:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m.
Office, No. 419 1/2 Broadway.

A. S. DABNEY,
DENTIST.
406 BROADWAY.

J. W. Moore,
Staple and Fancy Groceries,
Canned Goods of All Kinds.
Free delivery to all parts of the city.
Cor. 7th and Adams.

Horse Shoeing
a Specialty.
All kinds of imperfection in
a horse's travel corrected.
I do Repair Work of Every Kind.
WORK GUARANTEED.
Always on hand ready for work
HENRY GREIF.

J. S. GANSTER,
Solicitor of Peisan Claims,
Veteran of four years in the war of
Protestants of the Bureau of
Pensions.

WRITTEN AT RANDOM.

A good story serving to illustrate the superstitions of the "13" is told on a gentleman occupying a high position with a local ice manufactory.

The company purchased fourteen new wagons, and among them was one numbered "13." None of the drivers would agree to drive it, and when one was found who ran the risk, it was discovered that more than one customer was afraid to buy ice from a wagon with such a sinister number. Then the manager refused to have anything to do with the vehicle, or consider it under his control, and finally the proprietor sent the wagon around to the shop and had a cipher added, changing the number to "130." The same man who refused to permit the wagon to be under his control will not begin or finish a job of work on Friday or the 13th of the month, nor will he allow anyone who is working for him to do it.

"Owey," the celebrated mail dog, died last night, after all the obituaries that have adorned the columns of newspapers. Even before the tears have ceased to flow and fall, come the welcome news that the most cosmopolitan canine in the world still lives. A Washington dispatch says: "Owey," the dog traveler, is not dead at all. It was reported that he was shot in Cleveland April 16, and long in the custody of his owner's wife was published. Capt. White, superintendent of the railway mail service, sent an official inquiry to the Division superintendent at Cleveland asking if the report was true, and if the dog's body was in a condition to be stuffed for exhibition in the postal museum in Washington. His letter came back today with this endorsement by George W. Pepper, Jr.: "Respectfully forwarded to the General Superintendent Railway Mail Service, Washington, with the information that the dog mentioned in this clipping was named 'Owey.' A policeman killed an everyday ordinary cur at Union station and a reporter did the rest. The last heard of 'Owey' was that he had gone to Cleveland to meet the new superintendent, from which point he was routed to the exposition at Nashville."

Superintendent White also received a letter from J. H. Melven, a postal clerk living in St. Louis, stating that "Owey" was alive and well, except an attack of the mange, from which he was convalescent. Mr. Melven adds: "The old fellow has spent the last three weeks with me, having struck me on his return from the special clerk's convention at San Francisco. He had a very severe attack of mange and I detained him in order to cure him, and about to start him out again when the false report of his death started. I have concluded to hold him until I am able to get the boys to understand the matter, and as the old fellow has been quite ugly in the way of trying to bite the trainmen and people who haul letters in the car doors, I have thought that it might be well for him to retire. If you should think he should I believe I will agree to give him a good home and see that his remains are preserved when he dies. I would also hold his collar and the badge on it."

In reply to this letter Superintendent White said that he thought it was time for "Owey" to cease his travels, and would be pleased if some one would give him a home for the rest of his days. So, while this famous traveler is not dead, his wanderings up and down the earth in a postal car are probably at an end forever.

It is related that a few days before the Democratic primary just passed one of the many parasites who thronged the corners about that time approached a certain candidate and accosted him thus:

"See here, I've spent all my money working for you, and I'd like to get about a dollar or two. I think I may make you a vote or two."

"Let me tell you, my friend," replied the candidate, "when I got in this band wagon I had nothing but one copper cent. I've got it yet, and as I don't believe I can find a man heartless enough to take it away from me, I feel safe in remarking that when the vote is counted next Saturday I will still have it."

The strange part is that the candidate told the truth—and he was nominated, which is still stranger.

smiled and the fun began. Wilkes lasted two rounds. He was knocked down again and again in the second round, and was carried from the ring. No fighter since has insisted on McCoy being examined.

For some time this clever middleweight was on the canvas, but after he knocked Pat Hayden down eleven times in one round and broke Jim Daly's jaw remarks of this nature ceased to be made.

Already the public school teachers are beginning to look forward to their summer outing, here in Paducah as well as in other places. The management of the National Educational Association for Kentucky is gratified to be able to announce that arrangements have been made with the Monon and Chicago and Northwestern railroads for a special through train service from Louisville to Milwaukee, thus insuring to all teachers and others who may attend the N. E. A. rapid and plausible transportation. Louisville has been selected as the point of starting, being easily and quickly accessible from all parts of the state. The special train for Kentucky's teachers and their friends will leave Louisville on Monday night, July 5th, 8:30 o'clock, and will have Pullman sleepers through to Milwaukee without stopping, arriving in Milwaukee at an early hour Tuesday morning. Mr. F. H. Bacon, D. P. A. of the Monon, Louisville, will accompany the party to look after their comfort and welfare. The railroads have granted a one-fare round trip rate (plus the usual membership fee) from all central points, with the privilege of extending tickets to September 1 by depositing same with joint agent. The rate from Louisville will be \$10.95. The hotels have made reduced rates, and the best private families in the Cream city will entertain guests at \$1 per day. Those desiring board in private families should apply direct to William George Bruce, secretary local committee, Milwaukee, Wis. The program is an able one and treats of live subjects. The city of Milwaukee is preparing for entertainments on an extensive scale. Excursions on the lake and to the many beautiful summer resorts of Wisconsin at very low rates have been provided for.

Last year the teachers enjoyed a vacation in the far west, and a great many are now making preparations to attend the educational convention this year.

The readers of the Six will remember a "Random" article relative to the Shiloh reunion, which appeared in the Six's issue of April 12, over the name of plume "C. L." Since then "C. L." has received many letters from old comrades of both armies and several copies of papers which published extracts and others which published the entire article. Among others the Hunker Hill (Ill.) Gazette, edited and published by Capt. F. V. Healey, the Secretary of the Shiloh Battlefield Association, makes the following note at the head of the column and then publishes the entire article:

"The Shiloh Reunion.—We can not improve on the following report of this notable event made by our friend, Charley Lofland, a big-hearted, battle-maimed old 'Johnny,' in the Paducah Six."

The following letter, received from Major David W. Reed, the Secretary of the Shiloh Battlefield Association, is given as showing the different relations existing between the old soldiers who fought the battle of Shiloh and Dr. Donelson at that time and now:

Evansville, Ill., Apr. 22, 1897.
C. Lofland, Esq., Paducah, Ky.:
My Dear Sir—I enjoyed reading the papers you sent me very much, especially the one containing your well written article on the Shiloh Reunion. It was indeed of great interest, and I congratulate you upon its well conceived and arranged statement of facts. I think Capt. Healey did well in adopting it in full as his report. Since I left you at Paducah I have been examining some of my old memoranda of Fort Donelson, and find that I have the statement that my regiment (the 12th Iowa Infantry) occupied quarters inside the fort, after the surrender, that had been formerly occupied by the 42nd Tenn. Infantry. That there were wounded members of that regiment occupying the quarters, and remained there for two or three days, until removed to the hospitals. So we are doubtless under obligations to you for building such comfortable quarters for us. I find in my memoranda that there were four barracks for each company, built of logs and covered with split oak boards. (We call them shacks) bunks in one end of the cabin and a fire-place in the other. I remember the bunks were in two tiers across the entire end. I remember, also, that we found in the one I occupied iron baking kettles with iron covers. We called them "Dutch ovens" and used them to bake biscuits in. We found these log cabin quarters very pleasant and very comfortable indeed, after our experience in the cold and snow outside. It is my opinion now that you "Johnnies" were rather slow in asking us in, and treated us rather coldly for two or three days, but after we were once inside, you gave us all you could, and I am inclined to think that we "Yankees" were rather selfish in crowding you entirely out of your own houses. But that was war, and we won't do so any more. I would like to know now who were the wounded men inside? Perhaps you were one of them yourself and that you took offense at being crowded out and left our company. It is all interesting after so many years. We will talk it over when we meet again. Very truly yours,
D. W. REED.

Notwithstanding the great regard and high favor "C. L." entertains for the gallant Major Reed, and the many delightful hours he has passed in his company since then, at this time he has not the desire to form the acquaintance of the Major, for the reason that he has no desire to form the acquaintance of any one who has been so long in the army.

All efforts to get Wilkes to fight were unavailing, so a physician was called who thoroughly examined McCoy. McCoy never spoke during the whole fight.

When time was called, the "Katie" endured his unwelcome presence, "C. L." and his comrades concluded to abandon their camp before he pulled the latch string and thus succeeded in evading a meeting with him until our encounter upon the field of Shiloh. May we meet there again at the next reunion is the fondest wish of "C. L."

Memphis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

St. Louis, New Orleans & Cincinnati
Packet Company.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

DR. W. H. NELSON
Physician and Surgeon.
Office 128 Harrison street.
Residence 128 Harrison street.
Telephone 128.

Keep Cool this Summer.
Attach fan to any electric light socket in any room. No dangerous high voltage power or a red circuit in your store or residence.

Day and Night Service, Store lights, 50 to 10c per mo.
Res. " 19 to 28c
Electric Fans, \$1.50

Paducah Electric Co.
INCORPORATED
A. C. EINSTEIN,
Vice Pres. and Mgr.

Station 217 N. 24.
Vice Pres. and Mgr.

PADUCAH CYCLE WORKS
126 and 128 North Fifth Street.
Near Palmer House.

High Grade Bicycles
and Bicycle Sundries
Agent for Odell Typewriter, Price \$20.00. Suitable for Ministers, Doctors, Lawyers, Teachers, and in reach of all.

The Only Exclusive Bicycle House in the City. Riding School free to all buying wheels from us. We invite you to call and see OUR WHEELS and get Bottom Prices on same.

J. R. PURYEAR, Manager.

WHEN YOU DRINK
DRINK THE BEST
—Where we keep the finest of—
DETZEL'S.
Whiskies, Wines, Beer, Cigars, etc
RESTAURANT OPEN AT ALL HOURS.

The place to get the best PIANO for the least money
—IS OF—
HOWARD BROS., 417 N. 6th St.

WE HANDLE
THE BEST PIANO
that is handled in this country—a piano that will last you a lifetime. We mean just what we say. We give you the best guarantee that is given on a piano. All goods sold on easy payments. Old pianos and organs taken in exchange. Howard Bros., salesmen for Harding & Miller, Evansville. Quick sales and small profits our motto.

Wall Paper
Window Shades.
IN THE LATEST PATTERNS.

PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL ORDERS.
W. S. GREIF,
No. 132 S. Third Street. Telephone No. 371

F. J. BERGDOLL,
PROPRIETOR
Paducah - Bottling - Co.,
AGENT CLEVELAND

LOUIS O'BERTS BEER, Of St. Louis.
In kegs and bottles.
Also various temperance drinks—Soda Pop, Seltzer Water, Orange Cider, Ginger Ale, etc.
Telephone orders filled until 11 o'clock at night during week and 12 o'clock Saturday nights.

10th and Madison Streets. PADUCAH, KY.

FINE DRIVERS AND SADDLE HORSES.
Elegant Carriages and Turnouts

JAS. J. GLAUBER'S
Livery, Feed and Boarding Stable
Cor. Third and Washington.
TELEPHONE 148.

M. E. JONES
SELLS
Hardware, Cutlery, Tinware
STOVES, ETC.

Give him a call. Cor. Court and Market

ESTABLISHED 1864.
Miss Mary R. E. Greif & Co.
GENERAL INSURANCE
AGENTS.

Telephone 178. PADUCAH, KY.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES.
Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

Memphis, Chattanooga & St. Louis
Railroad
PADUCAH AND MEMPHIS DIVISION.

\$1.00
ONE DOLLAR AN OUNCE
\$1.00



Easter Sunday

Is the day for new Spring clothes. No man should let Easter pass without giving an order to his tailor. If you want to be sure to receive your clothes in time, to get the latest patterns, style and perfect fit, you should visit my tailoring establishment.

W. J. Dicke,
425 Broadway.

Practice Economy

Utilize Everything. That's the secret of many a successful man's career. Don't throw away your old shoes and old clothes. Housewives can save enough in this way to have their house-cleaning done. I will pay a good cash price for

Old Shoes and

Cast-Off Clothing.

Send me word or write me a postal and I will call for them. All kinds of shoe repairing done on short notice.

Chas. Norwood,

214 Court St.

SPECIAL SALE.

One Week Only.
Bulk Oat Meal per lb., 8c.
Pearl Hominy, per lb., 1c.
Choice Evaporated Peaches, per lb., 7 1/2c.
Choice Evaporated Apples, per lb., 6c.
Choice Red Kidney Beans, 2-lb. can, 7 1/2c.
Choice California Plums, 3-lb. can, 10c.
Choice Table Peaches, 3-lb. can, 10c.
Choice Rolled Oats, 3-lb. package, 7 1/2c.
Choice Self Rising Buckwheat 2-lb. package, 7 1/2c.
I. L. RANDOLPH,
Phone 82, 135 S. Second St.

Candidates' Cards...

Properly printed (no typographical freaks) on serviceable card-board, any color you desire.

One Thousand \$1.00
Five Thousand 4.00

Don't forget, however, that this offer expires with the current month. You can't get them that way the 1st of May. It's too cheap—you know that—but we will risk it just this month.

The S n
Publishing
Company.

Cleaning and Dye

Work... First-class work guaranteed or money refunded. Ladies and gentlemen, please call and give us a trial, you will not regret the money that you will have to pay for such work as we will do for you.

EIGHTH AND WASHINGTON

In the Spring

The thrifty housewife's thoughts turn not to love as the poet says of the young man, but to things more practical, such as packing away winter clothing, house-cleaning, etc. She will need
Gum Camphor
Moth Balls
Cedar Camphor
Insect Powder
Insect Tins
Rough Exterminator
Paraffin Vaseline
Household Ammonia
Scrubbing Brushes, etc.
All of which can be found at
MCPHERSON'S DRUG STORE,
4th & Broadway, 1

But just a drop will perfume a handkerchief.

Garland of Roses Garland of Violets

Delicate as a Cobweb, Lasting as the Hills.

J. D. BACON & CO. Druggists,
SEVENTH AND JACKSON,
Exclusive Agents.

WEATHER REPORT.

Louisville, April 30.—Clearing weather tonight. Saturday probably fair. Cooler Saturday.

LOCAL MENTION.

Residence at a Bargain.
To be sold at a sacrifice by May 1st, a choice residence. Apply to John G. Miller.

Owls Getting Ready.
The Owls' inoculation as announced before, will take place at the Campbell building beginning at 7:30 o'clock. At the conclusion of ceremonies the Owls will have a banquet at the same place.

Don't forget that when you buy sliced ham from Bockman you don't have to pay for bones. We call it bone blocked ham—either raw or baked. Phone 359.

Wanted to Buy.
Small ice boxes and refrigerators. Lawrence, 215 Court. "U."

Death in Livingston.
John Crowell, a well known resident of Livingston county, died last night. He was about 30 years of age.

Circuit Court.
Nothing of public interest transpired in the circuit court today. The last divorce case of Edna E. Sexton against Chas. Sexton was dismissed, there being one already pending.

Fresh Brains and Sweet Breasts at Bockman's. Phone 359.

The Illinois Central railroad will run a special train to Cairo next Sunday for the baseball game, Paducah vs. Cairo.

The interest of the revival at Barnett's Hall in Mechanicsburg, conducted by Rev. H. L. Calhoun seems to continue. There was a fair crowd last night considering the inclement weather. Mr. Calhoun will preach again tonight and a large crowd is hoped for.

Discord Among the Yellow Kids.
would be caused only by someone showing ill temper, of which a decayed tooth is more than likely the cause. You who are irritable have your teeth examined. They may be the cause of your trouble. Dr. C. E. Whitesides, 204 Broadway. Tel. 354.

Was Known in Paducah.
John O'Donnell, the engineer murdered in Louisville, is well known in Paducah, and formerly had a run in to the city on the C. O. & S. W.

Frozen steaks at Bockman's are pronounced by good judges to be the finest in the land. Prices are same as other steaks. Phone 359.

Owls Notice.
The Owls will meet tonight at the usual hour at their hall in Campbell building (Masonic hall) for inoculation. All Owls are requested to be on hand promptly.

New Hotel.
in Paducah is no more a necessity than for you to have the toothache. Let us examine your teeth and keep you out of trouble. Dr. C. E. Whitesides, 204 Broadway. 2843

A Small Runaway.
A team of mules ran away near the market house this morning at 10 o'clock, and created some excitement but there was no damage except to a horse, that became entangled in the collision.

INDIGNANT MURDER.
Charles Kaler Swears Out a Warrant Against Frank Augustus.

Chas. Kaler, a carpenter of the South Side, before Judge Sanders this afternoon, swore out a warrant against Frank Augustus for using insulting language towards his wife. He claims that the young man went to his house and proposed that his wife meet him out and said other improper things. The case will probably be tried tomorrow.

POLICE COURT.
Only Two Cases Docketed Today.

There was a brief session of Judge Sanders' court today.

The case against Will Rogers for drinking Sam Todd, colored, with a beer bottle, was continued until Monday.

Emory Holson and Frank Hone were fined \$1 and costs for a breach of the peace.

THE BROTHER GOT THEM.
Judge Reed Awards Mr. McLoach the Custody of Brother and Sister.

Judge pro tem Reed this forenoon decided the writ of habeas corpus case in the circuit court, awarding to Wm. McLoach the custody of his brother and sister, for which he sued out the writ against Nick Yopp, the Seventh and Tennessee street saloon keeper.

He claimed, as will no doubt be recalled, that the defendant was an improper person to take care of them, keeping them in a saloon where they heard bad language and learned to drink beer. McLoach is a well known railroad engineer.

PERSONALS.

E. M. Denny, of St. Louis, is at the New Richmond.

Mr. W. A. Gowan returned at noon from Louisville.

J. R. Mabey, of Murphysboro, is at the New Richmond.

Mr. John L. Farham came in this morning from Bardwell.

Rev. Father Jansen left at noon for Mayfield for a brief sojourn.

Mrs. M. P. Molloy, of Eldorado, arrived at noon and is at the Palmer.

Mrs. D. G. Murrell and Miss Gertrude Dillon have returned from New Orleans.

Mr. Ralph Bingham arrived at noon today and is the guest of Dr. S. H. Winstead.

Miss Dora Rehkopf returned yesterday from a visit to Louisville, and Jeffersonville, Ind.

Mrs. George Lehnard and baby left yesterday for Evansville on a visit to Mr. John Lehnard and family.

Mrs. George Eichhorn returned yesterday to her home in Mount City, after a visit to Mrs. John Transham.

H. J. Phelps, Mrs. Colt and Misses Lincoln and Hardebeck, four of the Chicago excursion party, dined at the Palmer today.

Mrs. Mary Chrisman, Miss Lillie Chrisman, and Mrs. Morton Moore are visiting Mrs. Adam Keller, in Owensboro.

Marshall Charles McNutt, of Mayfield, who has been in Illinois on business, passed through the city en route home today.

Mrs. C. C. Ellis, of Dyersburg, arrived yesterday afternoon on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Flourie, and returned home at noon today.

The chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution, intended to have been organized at the Palmer yesterday afternoon, was not owing to illness among prospective members.

It is rumored that a certain prominent merchant of the city is soon to be married to a popular and charming widow of a city fifty miles here. Go to guessing.

Mr. Joe W. Bloomfield, of the city, and Miss Jessie Grubbs, of Princeton, and Mr. J. W. Hale and Miss Nell C. Griffin, of Hopkinsville, accompanied by Prof. Richards, of Princeton, passed through the city at noon en route to Mayfield to participate in the declamatory contest.

The SW today received the announcement of the marriage at St. Louis on Wednesday of Mayor George Davidson Todd, of Louisville, to Mrs. Laura Chapin Durkee, of the Future Great. Mayor Todd is one of the most popular men in Kentucky and his bride is a noted belle of her native city.

WEDDING AT HIGH NOON.
Mrs. Bertha Tipples and Dr. A. G. Moffett United.

Ceremony Performed By Rev. H. B. Johnson, of the M. E. Church.

A surprise wedding occurred at noon today at the residence of Mr. E. E. Duperrieu, 913 North Seventh street.

Mrs. Bertha Tipples, a popular young widow, and daughter of Mr. Duperrieu, was united in marriage to Dr. A. George Moffett, of St. Louis, a well known doctor, Rev. H. B. Johnson, of the Broadway M. E. church, officiating. Only a few relatives and intimate friends were present.

The couple will leave tonight for Chicago on a wedding tour, after which they will take up their residence in St. Louis.

MR. COBBY OUT OF DANGER.
The Poison Supposed to Have Been an Insect.

Street Inspector Cobby returned last night from Mayfield, where he was called by the illness of his nephew, James Cobby, and wife, who were poisoned by preservative blackberries.

The physicians think that the poison was from some insect that was on the berry when it was picked. The berries were eaten about noon, and it was about 5 o'clock, while Mrs. Cobby was milking a cow, that she was seized by illness. Fifteen minutes later Mr. Cobby became ill. The berries were preserved by Mrs. Cobby herself and placed in a glass jar, and had been opened a couple of days. Both have now about recovered.

LA BELLE PARK OPENING.
A Good Crowd Greeted the Phillips Stock Company.

The opening at La Belle Park last night was largely attended, notwithstanding the inclement weather.

The stock company, under the management of Mr. Alphonse Phillips presented "The Captain's Maid," and the audience was well pleased.

The company, with Miss Agnes Carleton in the leading role, is stronger than ever before, and will no doubt draw large crowds throughout the season.

Get pin money packets at Bockman's. Phone 359.

DESTRUCTIVE FLAMES.

Riglesberger's Saw Mill Burned This Morning.

ORIGIN OF THE FIRE UNKNOWN.

Loss About \$20,000. Full Covered By Insurance—35 Men Out of Work.

PLANNING MILL RUNNING AS USUAL.

Paducah's manufacturing center was invaded by fire for the fourth time within two years this morning early.

The big saw mill of Frank Riglesberger & Sons, at 1320 South Third street, was destroyed by fire shortly before 4 o'clock this morning.

Aaron Rogers, the colored watchman, discovered the flames and sent the alarm. Both the department from Central and the South Side stations under Chief Voight and Assistant Chief Billy Augustus, were soon on the scene, but the mammoth structure was a mass of flames, and it was evident that the most good that could be done was in saving the surrounding property.

Watchman Rogers says the fire started near the boiler room, but he is likely mistaken, as this portion is less burned than any other part, and several barrels of oil near by were preserved intact. The consensus of opinion is that the fire started in the blacksmith department.

A strong wind was blowing from the Northwest, and this is all that saved the planing department. The sparks were blown in perfect shower of blazing brands late. The extensive lumber yard, however, and all that prevented its destruction was the dampness of the lumber, which was thoroughly soaked by yesterday's rain.

The saw mill burned to the ground, and the crash of heavy machinery and the fall of the big smoke stacks awoke many people for blocks around, and gave them their first intimation of the conflagration. Despite the cutting wind there were many spectators on the scene. At 7 o'clock some of the timbers were still burning, but all danger was past.

Before 7 o'clock the workmen began to arrive, and their surprise and sorrow was great. It meant perhaps much hardship and suffering to them and their families to be thus deprived in such a summary and unexpected manner, of their means of livelihood. Few of them knew anything about the fire until they reached the mill. About thirty-five were thus thrown out of employment, temporarily, at least.

Mr. Joe Riglesberger estimates the loss to be no less than \$20,000, which is covered by insurance in three or four different companies.

The destruction of the saw mill does not effect the planing mill, which was spared as usual today.

As yet it is not known whether the saw mill will be rebuilt or not, but the supposition is that it will be, as the remainder of the plant would be practically useless without it.

Within the past year or two Kilgore's Heating Factory, Decker's Veneering Works and the Wheel and Stock Works have been destroyed by fire, but all except the last named have been rebuilt.

The structure destroyed was erected in 1889, and was one of the best in this end of the state.

Chief Voight thinks that the fire originated in the saw room up stairs, and is confident that it did not start near the boiler room. It was reported to him that the watchman was asleep on the boiler when the proximity of the flames awoke him.

Officer Joe Ullman turned in the first alarm this morning from Third and Adams.

There was but \$4,000 insurance on the building, with Hummel Bros. and Mr. Abe Weil. It is thought this afternoon that the loss will not exceed \$12,000.

GRAVEL FOR THE STREETS.
More Trouble Said to Have Arisen Over It.

There is trouble over the kind of gravel to be used on the streets. A contract was made between the city and Mr. Bob Noble recently for Lawton's Bluff gravel or gravel "just as good," at the rate of 75c per yard, and the first installment was to arrive Tuesday.

It is said that Mr. Noble desires to get the gravel from his pit below the city, and that the committee objects to it. Street Inspector Cobby stated today that the gravel was practically the same that has been used heretofore, and that if he could help it none should be put on the streets, as it was got equal in quality to Lawton's Bluff gravel.

The committee, it is understood, will decide this afternoon what is to be done.

TURNER NOT EST.
Deputy Sheriff Etterbach Has a Fruitless Search.

Deputy Sheriff Etterbach returned last night from the county, whether he was armed with a warrant for the arrest of Tom Turner, colored, who was wanted for shooting at Frank Brigman, a small white boy.

Turner was not to be found anywhere, and is supposed to be hiding somewhere in the woods.

For Sale.
At the Six office old papers, also and clean, just the thing to put under carpets and on shelves. 25 cents per hundred.

PURCHASE COMPLETE.

Fiscal Court Meets In Adjourned Session.

ROADS TO BE OPEN BY MAY 10.

The Magistrates to Act As Superintendents Until Next July.

First Road to be Open Tomorrow.

Fiscal court convened again this forenoon at the county court house to complete the details of the gravel road purchase. All the magistrates were present except Justice Barnett, with County Judge Tully presiding. The minutes of yesterday's meeting were read and approved.

It was ordered by unanimous vote that the respective gravel roads be placed in charge of the magistrate of the district, who is to act as superintendent, attend to all repairs, etc., until the July term of court.

It was also ordered that all the roads be opened on or before May 10th and as fast as they are paid for and the deeds properly acknowledged, the presidents of the various companies are to be notified to cease the collection of toll.

The toll gates are then to be disposed of by County Judge Tully as prescribed by law, which is that the original owner of the land is to be given the refusal of them. This is because the law compels a person to sell such property to the gravel road companies for toll gate purposes, and very often it detracts from the value of property to cut a block out of it in this manner.

It is probable that the Cairo and Hinkleyville roads will be opened this afternoon or tomorrow, and the indications are that all the roads will be open in a few days.

EXCURSIONS RETURN.
They Are Well Pleased With Their Trip.

Left On Their Return to Chicago at Noon Today.

The party of thirty-three Chicago excursionists, composed almost entirely of school teachers, returned to Paducah on the Clyde this morning en route home from a trip up the Tennessee river to Florence.

Mr. Theo. Scholer, of Rand, McNally & Co., who was in charge, expressed himself as being well pleased with the trip, and said he voiced the sentiments of every one else who went up. The boat officers were most kind and courteous, and the crowd was especially pleased with what is experienced of Kentucky hospitality.

While in the city this morning they visited many of the churches and other places of interest. They left on the 12:10 train at noon for home.

MALADIES OF GEMS.
Some Curious Facts Concerning Precious Stones.

Among infirmities to which precious stones are liable is one common to all colored stones, the addition of color when long exposed to the light, says a contemporary. The emerald, the sapphire and the ruby suffer the least, their colors being as nearly permanent as colors can be, yet experienced miners make a few years ago in both Paris and Berlin to determine the deterioration of colored gems through exposure showed that even these suffered, a ruby which had lain for two years in a show window being perceptibly lighter in tint than its original mate, which was kept in darkness.

In the case of the garnet and topaz the change is more rapid than in that of the ruby and sapphire, but there is a curious difference in the result in topaz and garnet; for, while the latter grows lighter, the former appears to become cloudy and dull in hue, losing much of the brightness characteristic of a newly-cut gem.

For ages the opal has had the unfavorable reputation of being the most unlucky of gems, and it is believed that the jewels themselves are originally responsible for many of the superstitions connected with them, since to the polishes and setters say it is one of the most troublesome gems on their list. Microscopists say that the prismatic colors and fire of the opal are due to myriads of minute cracks in the body of the stone, the edges of which reflect the light and give the hue so much admired. Opals that have successfully passed the ordeal of gentling, polishing and setting do not often crack afterward, but it is best not to expose them to even the moderate heat involved by the wearer sitting in front of an open fire, for the opal is composed principally of silicic acid, while from five to thirteen per cent. of water is a combination which renders them very treacherous objects.

Collectors would not contain the stories told by expert jewelers of entire carats of time, they are easily damaged, and when once injured cannot be restored. Thrown into a fire, at an ordinary red heat, they are converted into a pinch of lime dust, accidentally touched with any corroding acid, they have affected precisely as a bit of marble or limestone would be under similar circumstances. They are easily cracked and broken, sometimes they lose their luster through handling, while the acids contained in the perspiration of the skin have been known to affect them.—Boston Journal of Commerce.

SOME SLY SHOTS.
Aimed at the Weak Points of Humanity.

In addition to being ignorant, lots of men are infernally mean.

We have noticed that a lawyer who puns after clients never has any.

One thing all people agree on, and that is hating about the weather.

Whereas...

Harbour's

O, the beautiful new Millinery that's here! bought special for this week's selling. Rich dress stuffs, too.

While all nature is putting on the new and beautiful with colors, rejoice with her. We offer a splendid assortment of the new inventions, rich designs and striking colors brought out by the world's best fashion setters for this spring's wear.

Special for This Week.

(Charming dress stuffs, the imported sorts, the quality that you have paid 50c for in former seasons, and that too without the richly printed designs they carry now. Our price last week was 35c. We have for a big sale on them this week and name a no-profit price of only 25c. Don't delay the choosing if you want the richest good of the season for the least money.

More good things are to be seen here in wash dress goods than are obtainable all told in the balance of Paducah. The prices are so low that none need do without new garments.

One case of new stuff this week at 4c a lot at 8c, at 12c, others at 17c, 10c, heaps at 12-15c, others at 17c, special at 30c, the unexpected at 25c.

A big stock of corsets for flesh and stout built ladies at very moderate prices.

Half Prices.

Thousands of samples pairs and broken lots of shoes and slippers for men, women and children are now on job counters in our annex at just half of their former prices. If your size is in this great assortment, and believe it is somewhere in the lot, your money will do double duty here.

Don't forget to look here for the best seamless ribbed hose for children, misses and boys ever sold to any market for 10c and 12 1/2c.

Silks.

Changeable taffeta silk so popular for waist just now and the dollar quality, are here this week for 75c. Fancy silks that ought to bring 75c, here for 50c.

Embroideries and Laces.

We are prepared to supply your embroidery and lace wants at truly money saving prices. Window shades, curtain poles, lace curtains, straw and cotton warp matting are being sold here at less than usual prices.

Intrinsic Worth.

Our whole stock is made up of goods of intrinsic worth in every department, and we guarantee our prices to be the lowest that goods of equal worth can be bought for. It is not how much prices we can get, but how good the quality we can get to give for the price in every instance, that we study here. Your repeated visits are solicited whether your wants are great or small.

HARBOUR'S

112 and 114 N. 3d.
Near Broadway

be is mad, he usually doesn't say it. When a doctor can't tell what ails a patient, he calls it "nervous prostration."

Nothing makes a man feel more foolish than to be unable to read his own writing.

When folks give a party, all who are invited wonder how they can afford it.

If you want to see the busiest man on earth, just ask a loafer to do a little job for you.

The men who think it is no trouble to take care of children, usually let their wives do it.

A fellow doesn't mind making a mistake as much when he can lay the blame on somebody else.

A good many people might make an occasional bright remark if they would just stop talking soon enough.

You are not surprised at the way a woman sharpens a blunt pencil when you see how she holds a knife.

We are apt to think people are no reasonable if they do not take great care of their money. But we play on the U. S. Miller, in Washington (D. C.) Democrat.

Regrets as Bachelors.

Is the colored man an efficient soldier? This familiar question is answered in the affirmative by three Illinois regiments. They are the 6888 Central Postal Directory, the 6888 Central Postal Directory, and the 6888 Central Postal Directory.

A good many people might make an occasional bright remark if they would just stop talking soon enough.

You are not surprised at the way a woman sharpens a blunt pencil when you see how she holds a knife.

We are apt to think people are no reasonable if they do not take great care of their money. But we play on the U. S. Miller, in Washington (D. C.) Democrat.

Regrets as Bachelors.

A manufacturer presented a cyclist with a box of meat tablets. "Drop me a line as to how you like them," he wrote. A few days after the race the "testimonial" arrived. It ran: "You asked me to let you know my experience with your patent meat tablet, and I have much pleasure in complying with your request. Feeling in need of food, I, in the sixty-fourth mile, began to seek one of your tablets. The effect was almost instantaneous. Having the sixty-fifth milestone, I chucked the blooming lot into a field."—Chicago Times.

Explained.

Mrs. Tipples—Yes, sir, John, you proposed to me that afternoon on the ice. John—I thought I must have had a fake.—Philadelphia North American.

Better Banking Facilities Needed.

Discussing the poor credit and banking facilities of the west and south before the last meeting of the American Economic Association, Mr. Thomas G. Richardson said:

In the 11 southern states it is impossible that one-tenth of the farmers could draw checks in payment for their retail transactions. In the recent campaign the successful candidate received the votes of 23 states, the defeated candidate the votes of 22. The 23 states hold 92 per cent. of all bank deposits and depositors. Deducting from the other 22 states the silver states and a few large cities, the remaining vast agricultural section of the country, having just over 10 per cent. of the population and 75 per cent. of the area, has less than 4 per cent. of the bank deposits and depositors. This suggests what was the real grievance of this mass of voters, although they did not themselves understand it. Their banking facilities are proportionately only one-tenth of the rest of the country.

1056 Screen Doors.

This is a Carload.

Per wonder how we sell Screen Doors so cheap. We buy them in Car load lots and guarantee them to be superior to any sold in this market.

SCOTT HARDWARE CO.

INCORPORATED.
318 to 324 Broadway. Sign of Big Hatchet.

Just Received Our Spring and Summer Goods

We are now prepared to show many of the latest

NOVELTIES IN DRESS GOODS.

Also very many handsome effects in

Shirt Waists and Waist Patterns.